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**NOTICE**

**Ecological Risk Assessment Protocol for the Deseret Chemical Depot, Tooele Chemical Agent Disposal Facility (TOCDF) and Chemical Agent Munitions Disposal System (CAMDS)**

<b>Facility</b>	Tooele Chemical Agent Disposal Facility (TOCDF) and Chemical Agent Munitions Disposal System (CAMDS) at Deseret Chemical Depot
<b>Proposed action</b>	The Utah Division of Solid and Hazardous Waste (Division) is updating the 1996 ecological risk assessment for TOCDF and CAMDS. The ecological risk assessment will evaluate the potential impacts to ecological receptors (for instance, hawks and coyotes) from air emissions. The <i>Phase I Ecological Risk Assessment Draft Final Protocol</i> provides a detailed description of how the Division proposes to conduct the risk assessment. The Division encourages interested parties to comment and make suggestions on the proposed methodology.
<b>Where can I find a copy of the proposed ecological risk assessment protocol?</b>	<p>Copies of the ecological risk assessment protocol are available for public review during regular business hours at the following locations:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Tooele Chemical Stockpile Outreach Office, 54 South Main Street, Tooele, UT.</li><li>• Division of Solid and Hazardous Waste Offices, 4<sup>th</sup> floor, 288 North 1460 West, Salt Lake City, UT.</li></ul> <p>As a courtesy to the public, an unofficial copy can be viewed at the DSHW website: <a href="http://www.deq.state.ut.us/EQSHW/CDS/CDS_PVA.htm">http://www.deq.state.ut.us/EQSHW/CDS/CDS_PVA.htm</a></p>
<b>When is the public hearing?</b>	There is no public hearing associated with this action.
<b>Who can I talk to about the proposed modification?</b>	For additional information or questions concerning the TOCDF and CAMDS ecological risk assessment please contact Christopher Bittner with the Division of Solid and Hazardous Waste at (801) 538-6813.
<b>How long is the public comment period?</b>	<p>The public comment period for the <i>Phase I Ecological Risk Assessment Draft Final Protocol</i> begins September 13, 2002, and ends at 5:00 p.m. on October 14, 2002. Comments may be submitted by 5:00 p.m. on October 14, 2002, addressed to:</p> <p>Mr. Dennis R. Downs, Executive Secretary, Utah Solid and Hazardous Waste Control Board, P.O. Box 144880, SLC, UT 84114-4880.</p> <p>Comments may also be e-mailed to <a href="mailto:cbittner@utah.gov">cbittner@utah.gov</a> although the Division cannot be responsible for unsuccessful transmission.</p>